



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT "D"
ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

APPLICANT: Schuh et al GROUP ART UNIT: 3729
SERIAL NO.: 10/003,756 EXAMINER: D. Nguyen
FILED: November 1, 2001 CONFIRMATION NO.: 8592
INVENTION: "METHOD FOR PRODUCING AN ELECTRONIC
OR ELECTRICAL COMPONENT WITH A
PLASTIC-PASSIVATED SURFACE"

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SIR:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents for a one-month extension of time for responding to the **Final Rejection** dated October 6, 2004 and are enclosing a check for the \$120.00 government fee so that the period of response is extended from January 6, 2005 to February 6, 2005.

In further response to the **Final Rejection** dated October 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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